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THE ASSEMBLY.

THE NEW EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

REGINA, Dec. 30.—At today's ses-
sion of the North West Assembly af-
ter routine, Mr. Davidson gave no-
tice of a motion, asking the Dominion
Government to grant second home-
steads to those who came into the
country before the repeal of the act.

Mr. Clinkskill gave notice of a mo-
tion on the subject of railway com-
munication for Battleford.

Three new bills were introduced, one
by Mr. Reaman to make the incorpo-
ration of the Saltcoats Dairy Associa-
tion valid; and two by Mr. Cayley,
to incorporate the synod of the diocese
at Calgary and the Ranchman's Club
of Calgary.

The herd ordinance was further dis-
cussed in committee of the whole. It
was amended so that herd districts may
fix the time during which the provisions
of the ordinance shall apply. After
spending some time in discussing
minor details the committee rose and
reported progress, and the House ad-
journed.

REGINA, Dec. 31.—The last day of
1891 witnessed an important event in
the annals of the North West, namely,
the announcement of the formation of
its first responsible government.

Before the orders of the day were
gone into, Mr. Haultain announced
that he had been called upon by His
Honour to form an Executive Com-
mittee, that he had accepted the responsi-
bility and that his colleagues were as
follows:—James Clinkskill, member
for Battleford; Thomas Tweed, mem-
ber for Medicine Hat; and James R.
Neff, member for Moosomin. Mr.
Haultain made a brief and appropriate
speech in which he expressed the hope
that his colleagues would have the
support of the House. (Cheers.)

Mr. Cayley congratulated the new
Premier and his Government, and also
congratulated the country and made
one of his usual happy speeches on the
situation in general, and sat down
amid cheers.

Mr. Betts also made a few congratu-
latory remarks and expressed his plea-
sure at the announcement.

The applause which greeted the
premier's announcement was very gen-
eral and it is evident the new govern-
ment has the warm support of proba-
bly the whole House.

A bill was introduced and passed
through all its stages prescribing the
duties of office for the executive com-
mittee.

Mr. Clinkskill moved a resolution,
which was carried unanimously, ur-
ging the great necessity for railway
communication to Battleford, a dis-
trict unsurpassed for farming and for
the raising of cattle and horses. The
resolution called the Dominion Govern-
ment's attention to the desirability of
laying down the principle that due re-
gard be given to the interests of the
pioneer settlers regarding the selection
of town sites.

The Saltcoats Dairy Association Or-
dinance was also read the second time.
The House then adjourned.

We have long been wanting in the
Dominion a good native magazine, pure
and attractive, of high character and
cheap enough to be within the reach of
all. We have it at last. CANADA,
the new magazine started last January
has been steadily improving through-
out the year, and is now enlarged to 24
quarto pages and cover, equal to 48
pages of the ordinary magazine size.
After glancing over the January num-
ber, it puzzles us to know how so much
valuable and deeply interesting matter
can be crowded into the space. Stories,
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SUDDENLY CALLED.

Lt.-Col. Herchmer Dies After a Short Illness.

CALGARY, Jan. 1.—Col. W. M. Her-
chmer, Asst.-Com. of the N. W. M. P.,
was taken suddenly ill about 9.30 to-
night, and died at 11 o'clock, shortly
after the doctor was summoned. The
cause of death is not yet known.

Calgary, N. W. T., Jan. 2.—Col. W.
M. Herchmer died last night about 11
o'clock. He had been in his usual
health during the day and was making
his usual New Year's calls in company
with Fred Stinson, Major John Stew-
art, Major Walker and Doctor MacKil,
and returned to the barracks in time
for dinner. He took dinner as usual
and seemed never in better health up-
to about 10 o'clock when he complained
of feeling dizzy and retired to bed. In
a few minutes Mrs. Herchmer heard
him breathing very heavily and alarm-
ed the household. Dr. Fraser, sur-
geon of the N. W. M. P., was in at-
tendance in a very few minutes and
summoned Doctors MacKil and George
but before they could arrive the colonel
was dead. This morning a post mortem
was held by Dr. MacKil, coroner, Dr.
Fraser and Dr. George, and the cause
of death was found to be fatty deg-
eneration of the heart. It is not yet de-
cided whether the remains will be bur-
ied here or taken to Winnipeg.

THE FUNERAL IN CALGARY.

Calgary, N. W. T., Jan. 3.—The
funeral of the late Col. Wm. M. Her-
chmer took place today and was the
largest ever seen here. The cortege
left the barracks at 3.30 this afternoon
and was preceded by a firing party of
forty policemen, followed by the remains
on a gun carriage drawn by two white
and two black horses. The pall bearers
were Major Walker, inspectors David-
son and Snyder, Surgeon Fraser, Sur-
intendent McIlreath and Colonel Irvine.
Next followed the riderless steed, Col-
onel Herchmer's favorite horse, and the
chief mourners, Commissioner Her-
chmer, Hayter Reed, Indian Commis-
sioner, Superintendent Jarvis, Fred
Stinson, Judge Rouleau, Dr. Rouleau,
W. R. Hull, Geo. K. Leeson, E. Hod-
der, J. J. McHugh, C. C. McCaul, four
sergeants of the Mounted Police and
over 100 carriages. The streets
were crowded their entire length from
the barracks to the Cathedral Church
of Redeemer where services were con-
ducted by Lord Bishop of Saskatchewan
and Calgary, assisted by Rev. A.
W. F. Cooper. The remains were re-
moved to the English school building
where they were viewed by hundreds
of citizens. Flags were flying at half
mast all over the city out of respect for
the deceased. The remains will leave
for Winnipeg to night where they will
be interred on Wednesday at St. John's.

Wm. M. Herchmer was born at
Shipton on Sherwell, England, Dec.
13th, 1844. Removing to Canada, he
entered the volunteer militia in 1866.
He commanded a company in the On-
tario battalion in Wolseley's expedi-
tionary force in 1870. Returning to
Ontario to practice his profession of
the law he resumed his connection with
the militia and in 1874 became
Lieut.-Col. of the 14th battalion. He
was appointed superintendent of the
North West Mounted Police. A few
years ago he was appointed assistant
commissioner, the chief position in the
force being given to his brother, L. W.
Herchmer.

President Van Horne claims that
the Canadian Pacific railway has beaten
the world's record for speed on the
rails. Some weeks ago a special train
made the run between Smith's Falls
and Montreal, a distance of 127 miles
in 129 minutes. Nearly forty miles
of the journey traversed at a rate of
seventy miles miles an hour. Eng-
land's highest record for a run of this
length is 55 1/2 miles an hour, and that
of the United States fifty-eight. Can-
ada's record is now more than a mile
a minute, and Mr. Van Horne says he
has locomotives which can do better
than that.

Ottawa, Dec. 31.—The writ for Rich-
mond, N. S., election has been issued.
Nominations Jan. 14, election Jan. 21.
All the other bye-elections, it is said
will take place about the same time.

It was said in official circles here
yesterday that parliament would be
opened early in February, and notices
are to be sent out to officials to that
effect. The date mentioned is the 10th

THE ELEVATOR SYSTEM.

Following up its article on the C.
P. R. Elevator system, the Winnipeg
Commercial last week contained an ex-
cellent article on "Manitoba's Elevator
System." Of the advantages over flat
warehouses it says:—

"A good elevator system is a matter
of great importance in a country aspir-
ing to be a grain region. It greatly
facilitates the rapid handling of grain,
and enables it to be shipped in a better
condition. During the busy season,
from 5,000 to 15,000 bushels of grain
are often marketed by farmers in a
single day, at one point. It would be
a very difficult matter to handle this
quantity of grain without elevator facili-
ties. Farmers would be obliged to
wait a long time to get their grain un-
loaded, without the assistance of an
elevator. The farmer now has simply
to drive his horses up an inclined plat-
form at the side of the elevator, where
the grain is dumped rapidly from the
wagon into a large hopper. It is
then weighed and conveyed quickly
away by the elevating machinery and
deposited in bins, according to quality,
care being taken to keep grain of the
same quality in the same bins. Where
grain is taken in at what are known as
flat warehouses (low buildings without
elevating appliances), it is a more labo-
rious and slower job, as the grain has
to be carried in by hand and deposi-
ted in the different bins. When it
comes to loading cars, the elevator also
has a great advantage over the ware-
house. The grain is simply run
through spouts (this is called spouting)
directly into the cars, while from a
warehouse it must be lugged out by
hand.

There has been a prejudice to some
extent among the farmers, against ele-
vators, on account of a rule which ex-
isted, to the effect that the railways
would not receive grain from ware-
houses at points where there were ele-
vator facilities, though the rule has not
been always strictly adhered to. This
prejudice has now about died out. The
fact of the matter is, Manitoba's wheat
crop could not be handled without a
good country elevator system. If an
attempt were made to handle the crop
through warehouses only, there
would soon be a complete blockade, and
such delay would be caused to the rail-
ways, that they would not be able to
move the crops. Such a state of affairs
would be very serious for the farmers,
and it is therefore in their interest
that the elevator system may be made
as perfect as possible."

J. W. Clarke, music dealer, of Cal-
gary some time ago took into his employ
as a pianist, C. Neilham, who had acted
as pianist for the Caroline Gage
Dramatic company during their last
tour through the Territories. Neilham
as agent for Clarke went around
the country repairing organs and
pianos. Mr. Clarke alleges that one
fine morning Neilham turned up mis-
ing and with him money, an overcoat
and a satchel belonging to Mr. Clarke.
Chief English being applied to, after a
few days located Neilham at New
Westminster, B. C., and on a telegram
from him the New Westminster police
arrested Neilham on a charge of larceny
and he is now in their custody.—
Calgary Herald.

Toronto, Jan. 1.—The Empire's
Quebec correspondent says:—"Most
stirring developments are daily being
made in connection with the hostile
transaction of the late Government.
It is now alleged that Premier Mercier
himself went to the Treasury Depart-
ment for letters of credit in favor of
certain railways, and, having them in
his possession, demanded a considera-
tion to hand them over. This will be
made a matter for investigation by a
royal commission, which has been re-
solved upon to-day (Thursday) by the
Cabinet, and will be named Monday."

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1892.

The Regina Leader is hot after Hon. Mr. Dewdney, Minister of Interior. In its issue of Jan. 5th it charges him with using his official position when Lieutenant Governor of the North West, to secure land near Regina. In proof of the charge the facsimile of a letter written by Mr. Dewdney to a Mr. Green, is published. The Leader threatens to follow up its article with further charges and proofs, and calls for a "Cleansing" of the Cabinet.

We congratulate Messrs. Hicks and Naismith on their election to the School Board for 1892.

Mr. Hicks, although practically unknown to a large number of the electors, made a good run, heading the poll. He was absent during the day at Elkhorn but his friends worked hard for him with gratifying results. He will make a good Trustee.

Mr. Naismith was a member of last year's Board, and the fact of his re-election with strong candidates in the field, is an evidence that a majority of the electors are satisfied with his actions and wish to give him another term. With good colleagues he will no doubt, do good work for the school.

THE COUNCIL FOR 1892.

Last week we stated that five of the candidates nominated for the Council of Moose Jaw had resigned leaving only five in the field, with six to be elected. Mr. Bellamy was however induced to withdraw his resignation and on Tuesday last at one o'clock, at the Town office, Returning Officer Birbeck declared the following gentlemen elected by acclamation as the Council for 1892:—Messrs. Walsh, Davidson, Fysh, Colpitts, Neeland and Bellamy. These with Mayor Robinson should make a very good Council.

Mr. Walsh has large interests in the town, is a fair minded man, and has already had considerable experience on the Council Board of the town.

Mr. Davidson although only about three years a resident of the town, has worked up a good private business in his line, and will doubtless give public business the same careful attention as characterizes him in his private affairs.

Mr. Fysh declares for a more progressive policy, with due regard to economy in the management of town affairs. He sat in the Council of 1886 and did good work. He will make a good chairman of the Fire, Water, and Light Committee.

Mr. Colpitts was a member of the Council of 1891, and so far as we can learn attended to public affairs in a business manner. He has also had considerable experience on the School Board of the town, and is well acquainted with the management of municipal affairs.

Mr. Neeland is a man of good business ability and will add weight to the new Council. He was a member of the Council of 1890, and all his opponents charge against him is the purchase of the chemical engine, which Mr. Neel and claims was made in the interests of the town.

Mr. Bellamy was a member of the Council of 1891 and the desire of the ratepayers that he should occupy a similar position for 1892 is sufficient evidence that he gave satisfaction.

The proposed public works requires the presence of a skilled mechanic in

the Board of Works department of the Council. Taking the Council as a whole, the people of the town have no reason to fear for the coming year. All the Council require to do is to show good business common sense, in their conduct of the town business, and that is all the ratepayers require or expect.

THE LIQUOR LICENSE ORDINANCE

We have received a draft of "The Liquor License Ordinance", introduced into the Assembly last Monday by Mr. Cayley of Calgary. The Bill comprises fifty-six pages of Ordinance and is very minute in its provisions, some of the principal of which are as follows.

The Lieutenant Governor in Council shall, as soon as conveniently may be after the passing of this Ordinance establish districts, to be called "License Districts". There shall be a board of License Commissioners to be composed of three persons and to be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council for each district. No remuneration except travelling expenses and a fee of five dollars for each day of meeting, is attached to the office.

A Chief Inspector of Licenses for the Territories may be appointed by the Lieut. Gov. in Council, with a fixed salary. The Board of License Commissioners shall appoint one or more Inspectors for each License district, and fix the salary of such Inspector.

All sums of money, payable as license money or fees to the general revenue fund shall be paid to such officer as the Lieutenant Governor in Council shall appoint.

There shall be three kinds of Licenses, viz: Hotel licenses, Restaurant licenses and wholesale licenses.

The requirements for obtaining a restaurant license, (in municipalities only) to dispose of liquor by retail are that the premises shall contain a suitable dining room, kitchen and necessary appliances. A certificate must also be filed with the Inspector, signed by ten resident ratepayers, assessed on the last revised assessment roll for \$1200 or upwards, certifying that, in their opinion, said restaurant is desirable for providing meals for the public.

A "Wholesale licence" shall authorize the licensee to sell and dispose of liquors in the warehouse, store, shop in quantities of not less than one half gallon in each cask or vessel. Bottled ale, beer, porter, wine, or other fermented or spirituous liquors shall be in quantities not less than one quart bottle or two reputed pint bottles. Liquor sold under a wholesale license must not be consumed on the premises, on penalty of forfeiture of license. A wholesale druggist may sell alcohol, not exceeding in quantity ten gallons at one time to any person and all other liquors not exceeding five gallons to any properly qualified retail druggist or physician. All licenses shall be issued under the authority of the License Commissioners who shall meet during the month of May in each year. They have also power to define the conditions and qualifications requisite to obtain licenses, and for regulating the same, and shall define the duties, powers and privileges of the District Inspector.

Every application for a license shall be sent to the Lieutenant Governor in Council, along with the sum of ten dollars so that it may reach him on or before the fifteenth day of April. The chief Inspector shall advertise, by one insertion in a newspaper in each locality, for which applications have been received by him, showing the name of each applicant, description of license applied for and of premises together with a notice of the time and place of meeting of Board of License Commissioners to be held to consider such applications. After the meeting of the Board the Inspectors shall send to the Chief Inspector a report showing what licenses have been granted. It shall be the privilege of any five of the twenty householders residing nearest to the premises for which a license is required to object by petition against the granting of such license. All protests must be accompanied by a fee of ten dollars which sum shall be returned if the protest be successful.

The fees fixed by the Assembly for each hotel license is \$200; for each restaurant license \$300; for each wholesale license \$200. Municipalities may, by by-law require each licensee to pay a fee not exceeding the sum fixed by the Assembly.

The Bill also makes provision for Local Option. Whenever a majority of three-fifths of the electors in any license district declare themselves to be in favor of a prohibition of the sale of intoxicating liquors no licenses shall be granted in said district. To defray the cost of holding the poll the sum of two hundred dollars must be paid to the Board of License Commissioners. Every license must be conspicuously exposed on the premises for which it is granted.

The Ordinance makes stringent regulations and penalties for its infraction, in the conduct of the house for which granted.

THE NEW GOVERNMENT.

Thursday of last week was a memorable day in the political history of the Canadian North West. Mr. F. W. G. Haultain, member for Macleod, arose in the House of Assembly and announced that he had been called upon by His Hon. Lieut. Gov. Royal to select an Executive Committee and that he had selected Mr. Tweed of Medicine Hat; Mr. Neff of Moosomin and Mr. Clinksill of Battleford. It was a fitting coincidence that with the close of the old year the old order of things, which had engendered strife and discord should pass away and that the good New Year should be ushered in with the newer and we hope better form of government. "Ring out the old; Ring in the new."

The following published sketch of the new executive will prove interesting to readers of the TIMES.

Mr. F. W. G. Haultain, Macleod's representative and premier of the first regular government in the Territories, was born in Woolwich, England, in November, 1858; and is a son of the late Col. Haultain, Royal Artillery. He received his education at Montreal and Peterboro high schools and Toronto University, taking his B.A. in 1879 with first class in classics. In 1882 he was called to the Ontario bar. Two years later he removed to Macleod and began the practice of his profession. In 1887 he was elected to the Assembly by acclamation, and was the leader of the first Advisory Board. In 1891 he was re-elected. Mr. Haultain is a Conservative in Dominion politics, but is opposed to the introduction of party lines into the Assembly.

James Clinksill, of Battleford, was born in Glasgow, Scotland, in May, 1853. He was educated at Glasgow and St. Andrews. Mr. Clinksill is a merchant member of the firm of Mahaffy & Clinksill; went to the Northwest in 1882, and has since resided at Prince Albert and Battleford, moving to the latter place in 1883. He is a Conservative and is strongly in favor of developing the northern part of the Territories by means of railways. He believes in a strict license law. He was elected in June, 1888, and again in 1891.

J. R. Neff, of Moosomin—Mr. Neff was born in the county of Wentworth, Ont., in 1844, and was educated in the public schools. He is a farmer on a large scale. In politics he is a Conservative. He was a member of the municipal council of Wentworth county. Having carried on business for twenty years he came to the Northwest in 1883. He was elected in June, 1888, and by acclamation in November.

Thomas Tweed, of Medicine Hat—Is a native of Kingston, Ont., and the date of his birth is 1853. Was a member of the first Red River expeditionary force and was manager of Stormont Cotton Manufacturing Co., Cornwall. Settled in the Northwest at Medicine Hat in April, 1883. In Dominion politics is a Conservative. Is in favor of license. Was elected by acclamation 27th June, 1888, and again in 1891. Ran against Mr. Davin M. P. in the last Dominion election for West Assiniboia, but was defeated.

The announcement of the personnel of the new government was received with cheers, by the House showing that they start off with the confidence of their fellow members. Each of the four Electoral districts of the North West is represented on the executive, by gentlemen well posted as to the requirements of not only their own districts but of the whole North West in general. We have now secured Responsible Government, in its simplest and least expensive form. The executive is merely a committee to carry out the will of the Assembly, and are responsible to that body, and through it to the people. All monies voted by the Assembly, will be expended by the executive, and who will have to account to the Assembly for such expenditure. No portfolios have been created, and no needless expense incurred. Whether it will be necessary for the members of the new government to reside at the Capital or not will depend entirely on the amount of work, which they will find to do.

Although all the members of the new government are Conservatives it cannot be said that it takes office as a Conservative government as the house being almost entirely Conservative, it is not deemed advisable to "draw the lines" at present. Had the two parties been more evenly divided it is probable that the new government would have been selected on party principles. The aim has apparently been to give each part of the country representation and to select the best men from each locality. His Hon. Lieutenant Governor Royal has fallen in heartily with the new constitution and has signified his intention of giving all the assistance possible in the development of our new system of self-government.

NORTH WEST MAYORS AND COUNCILLORS

Calgary, Jan. 5.—The election of mayor and councillors took place yesterday. A very small vote was polled, owing no doubt to the mayor having been elected by acclamation. Those elected are: Mayor, Alex. Lucas; councillors, G. C. King, W. H. Cushing, Alex. McBride, Wesley F. Orr, I. S. Freeze and James Reily.

LETHBRIDGE

LETHBRIDGE, Jan. 5.—The civic election here took place yesterday. The result disclosed a variety of conflicting interests at work, chiefly tending to the near possibility of the new council having to dispose of liquor licenses. For mayor, H. Bentley, by acclamation; for councillors, McNab, Stovel, Magellan, Henderson, Colman and McKenzie.

REGINA

REGINA, Jan. 4.—A public meeting held Saturday night to hear the municipal candidates was not largely attended and there was meagre interest taken in the elections to day. The poll as declared tonight stands as follows: Cowan, 61; Clark, 92; Duncan, 134; Johnston, 115; Leysen, 110; Marsh, 116; Paul, 75; Willoughby, 118. Cowan and Paul therefore are not in it. They were both members of the old council.

MOOSOMIN

MOOSOMIN, Jan. 4.—Mayor Neil McCallum was elected by acclamation. councillors—Jos. Inglis, J. McCurdy, J. Shaps, C. Taylor, J. Erestow.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—The mayoralty contest today brought out a large vote. E. B. Osler was the favorite and the early returns indicated his election. When the votes were all counted, however, it was found that Fleming was elected mayor by a plurality of 318.

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The Moose Jaw Times.

FRIDAY JAN. 8, 1892.

TOWN and COUNTRY.

What is the latest Riddle in town?
R. H.'s young son.Why is an editor a moral man? Be-
cause he always does write.—EX.Mr. John E. Kerr, left last Thurs-
day evening for a visit to Montreal and
Ottawa.St. John the Baptist Church Sunday
School are holding their annual Christ-
mas tree this evening. A pleasant
time is expected.Mr. E. Colpitts, and Master Ed
Laxter, left on Thursday evening for a
trip to Eastern Canada.Mr. Laycock, the new teacher of the
Intermediate Department, of the
Moose Jaw School, arrived in town on
Wednesday morning accompanied by
Mrs. Laycock and two children. He
entered in his duties on Thursday
morning.Mr. Robert Wilson, arrived in town
last Friday morning from his ranch at
Brightwater Lake. He says that the
stock in that vicinity never looked
better and he is more than ever satis-
fied with his location.Commissioner Herchmer passed
through Moose Jaw last Saturday
morning, en route for Calgary to at-
tend the funeral of his brother Lt. Col.
W. M. Herchmer.The attention of the farmers is called
to the advertisement calling a meet-
ing of the Moose Jaw Electoral district
Farmers' Institute in Russell Hall,
tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at 2
o'clock.Mr. E. Bowden has completed a
portable engine house for Mr. Robert
Moore's threshing engine. It is intend-
ed to be placed over the engine while
threshing in cold or stormy weather.A problem in mathematics for the
School Board which is the better
bargain: The sale of debentures at
101 bearing 8 per cent interest, or at
99 bearing 7 per cent? Answers re-
ceived for two weeks at the TIMES
office.We have arranged with Mr. C. W.
Stunt, for a report each week, for pub-
lication, of the weather at Moose Jaw.
The report for week ending January
7th will be found in this issue. Parties
desiring to keep a reliable record for
the year, can do so by cutting out the
weekly reports and pasting them in a
book for reference.On Tuesday last, we were shown a
sample of a car of grain being shipped
by Mr. H. U. Rorison, and purchased
from Mr. D. M. Ross. The sample
was the best we have ever seen and is
sure to grade No. 1 extra hard. What
makes it more remarkable is the fact
that it was grown on land that had not
been plowed for four years and the crop
averaged 35 bushels per acre.Most of the parties who were burned
out in the recent fire are only awaiting
the advent of milder weather before
commencing to rebuild. Mr. McBride
started this week to erect a building
on his old site. A large brick block
is talked of for Dr. Scott's corner. Mr.
Mr. Grayson will also commence to re-
build as soon as spring opens. These
with the town hall, bridge and court
house to be erected this year will make
building operations brisk for the coming
summer.The shipment of dressed beef from
Calgary to Pacific coast points, is in-
creasing. The New Westminster
Ladger says that a car lot of beef has
arrived there from Calgary "in the
condition. The beef was refrigerated
by means of ice packing and arrived as
fresh as the moment it was despatched.
The opening up of an extensive
trade in fresh beef between this point
and Calgary is expected, as the freight
rates are very reasonable and encourag-
ing enough to induce the local mer-
chants to make a regular business of
importing this beef.The people of the Buffalo Lake, dis-
trict are thinking of building a New
Church. A meeting for that purpose is
called for January 20th, at Mr. James
McCartney's.Sitting around, sitting around—that
used to be the order of the evening in
the country stores. We doubt if
there is as much of this store loafing
as in olden days, but probably it is
not entirely obsolete. In the country
stores in our native town we can well
remember that you would find the
same men in the store night after
night. We could call them by name—
and it would be a long list, too. The
store for them took the place of the
lodge-room. It was stage coach days
in that town, and the latest news
wasn't flashed into town every day and
Sunday as it now is. If we were to
visit those stores of an evening now we
would find few of those "old timers"
there for Father Time has mowed them
down and they rest from their day-
time labors and evening discussions.
We doubt if their sons have followed
their example in the "store loafing
direction. Whether they have adopted
a better course—whether 'tis better to
leave the country for the city and sub-
stitute the theatre and hall for the
store is perhaps a question of some
doubt.—New England Grocer.

TOWN COUNCIL.

The members of the Council of 1891
held a meeting on last Monday evening
to wind up the affairs for the year.
There were present, Mayor Rutherford;
Councillors Colpitts, Bellamy, Herrier
and Palmer.The minutes of the last regular and
special meetings were read and con-
firmed.A communication was received from
Mr. Seymour Green, applying for
position as Town Clerk, and referred
to the new Council; From F. Peters,
re. his account of \$115.71 for plans
etc., for new town hall, which was also
referred to the new Council.Accounts were presented from C. P.
R. Co. \$5.01 for freight on acid; J. N.
McDonald, \$5.00 for printing; T. E.
Birbeck \$24.20 for balance of salary
postage etc.; J. Ostrander \$31.50 for
board for G. Waterhouse.Colpitts—Herrier—that the account
of the Town Clerk be paid—Carried.
Colpitts—Bellamy—that the account
of the C. P. R. Co. be paid—Carried.Palmer—Herrier—that Dawson,
Bole & Co's account be paid—Carried.
Herrier—Palmer—that J. Ostrander's
account be referred to the Finance
Committee of new Council to deal with.
Moved in amendment by E. Colpitts
seconded by J. Bellamy that James
Ostrander be paid \$27.00 in full of
his account. Amendment Carried.Bellamy—Colpitts—that H. Battell
be paid \$2 per day for 14 days attend-
ance on G. Waterhouse.Moved in amendment by E. Herrier
seconded by W. D. Palmer that H.
Battell receive two dollars and a half
per day. Amendment Carried.Councillor Colpitts reported verbal-
ly on the Electric Light Co's account
of \$33.25, and recommended that the
account be paid.Colpitts—Herrier—that the Electric
Light Co's bill be paid—Carried.The auditors' report for 1890 was
read, received and adopted.Herrier—Colpitts—that the Council
order a new light, to be placed at Field's
corner to replace the one burned at the
late fire.Moved in amendment by J. Bellamy
that no action be taken in the erection
of a new light. The amendment not
receiving a seconder was not consid-
ered and the motion was carried.Mr. H. McDougall interviewed the
Council re. rent of hall and asked \$10
per month for use of Council chamber,
this to include all regular and special
meetings of Council and public meet-
ings for municipal purposes, also fuel
and light.Colpitts—Palmer—that Mr. Mc-
Dougall's offer be accepted—Carried.
The Council then went into commit-
tee of the whole to consider By law No.
93, clause by clause. When committee
rose and reported, the by-law was read
a third time and finally passed. Coun-
cillor Palmer moved that the Council
accept two fixtures from Electric Light
Co. provided that the company put
them in for same rate as for private
parties, one light to be at Field's cor-
ner, the other to be strung on a wire
in the middle of the street from Sim-
ington's to Ripstein's, the Council to
pay for current for one light.The motion not receiving a seconder
was not considered.
After confirming the minutes, the
Council adjourned.THE SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELEC-
TION.Messrs. Amos Hicks and John
Naismith the Successful
Candidates.The interest taken in the election of
School Trustees yesterday was in
marked contrast to the apathy shown
by our citizens in the municipal elec-
tion of last week. The Annual meet-
ing was held in the school room at 10
o'clock, at which the reports of the
Trustees, Secretary, Treasurer, Princi-
pal were received and adopted. There
was little fault to find with the reports
and the financial part of the work of
the Board for the year appears when
explained to have given general satis-
faction. It was thought before the
meeting that the estimate made by the
School Board for 1892 was extravagant
but when the items were read out,
there was nothing in them that could
be dispensed with. After the reports
were adopted the chairman, Dr. Tur-
bull, announced that he was ready to
receive nominations of persons to fill
the vacancies on the Board caused by
the expiration of Messrs. Hannah and
Naismith's terms of office. The follow-
ing were the nominations:—
Wm. Hannah, nominated by R.
Bogue, seconded by H. Battell.
R. H. Lowe, nominated by W. J.
Bradshaw, seconded by Jas. Ostrander.
J. Naismith nominated by F. W.
Robinson seconded by J. Sinington.
Amos Hicks, nominated by G. M.
Annable, seconded by John Bellamy.
The meeting having declared for a
ballot vote, the chairman appointed
Mr. J. A. Calder, Returning Officer to
conduct the election.The election was one of the hottest
that has ever taken place in Moose
Jaw for school trustees, and almost
every available vote was polled, in-
cluding six lady voters.When the poll closed at 5 o'clock
and the ballots were counted the vote
stood as follows:—
Amos Hicks.....82.
J. Naismith.....76.
Wm. Hannah.....66.
R. H. Lowe.....61.
Number of votes polled 149.An analysis of the vote shows that
two tickets were run to a large extent,
one being Hannah and Naismith and
the other Hicks and Lowe. The follow-
ing is the vote in pairs:—
Hicks—Lowe.....54.
Hannah—Naismith.....53.
Hannah—Lowe.....4.
Hannah—Hicks.....4.
Naismith—Hicks.....18.
Naismith—Lowe.....6.The best of good humor prevailed
during the afternoon, the supporters
of each ticket working hard to elect
their men. The result shows the elec-
tion of one man from each ticket and
should be satisfactory.

BIRTHS.

HINDLE, in Moose Jaw, on the 5th inst., the
wife of Mr. H. H. Hindle, of a son.Meteorological Report for Week
Ending Jan. 7th, 1892.

DATE.	MIN.	MAX.	WIND.	SKY.
Jan. 1	-25	0	E. to S. high.	clear.
2	-18	20	S. to W. soft and hazy.	clear.
3	-22	24	calm.	clear.
4	-5	24	calm.	clear.
5	-5	4	S. to S. W. drifting clouds.	stormy.
6	-21	12	S. W.	clear.
7	-5	12	S. to S. W. cloudy to clear.	stormy.

Snow fall on 5th and 7th, also blizzard for 4
hours on 7th from S. N. E.

Note.—sign denotes below zero.

CARD OF THANKS.

To all the friends in Moose Jaw, who
so kindly assisted in the last sad rites
to our son Henry Jackson and his
little daughter Myrtle; and to all
those who have so tenderly nursed and
cared for his beloved wife in her illness
and misfortune, we desire to express
our deep sense of gratitude, and to
acknowledge, that by your prompt and
unfailing attention, you have done
much to relieve us of anxiety at a time
when distance prevented our being
present. We are, on behalf of their
many friends and relatives here, their
sorrowing parents.

RICHARD JACKMAN.

PATRICK KELLY.

NOTICE.

All parties indebted to the undersigned are
requested to kindly settle their accounts before
January 1st 1892, otherwise the accounts will be
placed in the hands of a Solicitor for collection.
THOS. FRANKS.STRAYED—from Eye Brow Lake Ranch.
one Roan Cow 3 years old, indistinct brand,
W.D. on left hip, left horn broken near point,
when last seen had rope on horns. Any person
giving such information as will lead to her re-
covery will be suitably rewarded.
DONALD McLEAN, 10-17-25.
Box 9, Moose Jaw.

NOTICE.

A meeting of all interested in the building of
a Presbyterian Church in the Buffalo Lake
District, will be held at Mr. James McCartney's
on Wednesday, January 20th, at 2 p. m.
By order of Trustees.
HUGH THOMSON, Secretary.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

The recent circular sent out by Massey, Har-
ris & Co. should be given attention at an early
date. The estimate will be made up for repairs
and twice on or about March 1st, and we will
not hold ourselves responsible to carry stock
and repairs for each and every machine of the
Massey, Harris & Peterson Co's., old put out
unless the blank order sent out is filled and
sent in prior to 1st of March, 1892.
MASSEY-HARRIS & CO.
Per A. E. POTTER, Agent.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of
the Moose Jaw Electoral District Farmers' In-
stitute will be held in Russell Hall, Moose Jaw
on Saturday, January 9th, 1892, at 2 o'clock p.
m. All farmers in the district are respectfully
invited to attend.
A meeting of the Board of Directors will be
held in the same place at 1 o'clock, sharp.
J. W. MCINTOSH,
Secy-Treas.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that I the under-
signed Henry Le Jeune, of the Town
of Regina in the North West Territories,
Barker, have been appointed Receiver of the
estate, as to, and effects of the partnership
business existing between William J. Lacombe
and Charles E. Green, both of the Qu'Appelle
Valley in the district of Assiniboia,
Saskatchewan.
All persons having claims against the said
partnership are hereby required to send me at
Regina Post Office on or before the Thirtieth
day of January, 1892, their claims and
surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full
particulars of their claims, a statement of their
accounts and the nature of their securities (if
any) held by them.
And notice is also hereby given that, after
the said date, I will proceed to distribute the
said partnership estate, assets and effects of
the said partnership among the parties entitled
thereto, having regard only to those claims of
which I shall have had notice.
Dated at Regina the 24th day of December,
1891.
HENRY LE JEUNE, Receiver.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application
will be made at the ensuing session of
the legislature of the North West Territo-
ries for an Act to confirm the powers confer-
red on the Bell Telephone Company of Cana-
da by the Act of the Parliament of Canada
passed in the Forty-second and Forty-fifth
years of Her Majesty's reign and Chaptered
respectively 67 and 95, in regard to those
partitions of the Company's work and under-
taking which are local and to make the said
Company a Corporation under the laws of the
North West Territories, and to construct, erect,
acquire, lease, maintain and operate local
lines of telephone for the transmission of
messages between any cities, towns, villages
or other places in the said Territories and
for other purposes.
Dated this Fourteenth day of October, A.
D. 1891.
McDONALD, TUPPER, PHIPPS & TUPPER,
Solicitors for Applicants.

AUCTION SALE!

— OF —

TOWN PROPERTY.

Under and by virtue of a certain agreement
for sale bearing date the Twenty-ninth day of
August, 1888, and made between Richard H.
Angus, Honorable Sir Donald A. Smith, Ed-
mond Boyd Oger, and William Bain Scarth,
Trustees of the first part, and E. H. Leclercq,
of Bryon, Quebec, Merchant, of the second
part. Defiant having been made in the pay-
ment stipulated to be made therein, will be offer-
ed for sale by public auction by Donald R. Cash,
Auctioneer, at the Times Printing House, Main
Street, in the said Town of Moose Jaw, on Sat-
urday, the Twentieth day of January, A. D.
1892, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon,
that certain parcels of land being composed of
Lot number Twenty-two, in Block One Hundred
and Twenty Four, and as said lot and block are
laid down and marked out on the plan of the
Township of Moose Jaw, made by L. A. Hamil-
ton, D. L. S., dated 1st December, 1887.
The above lot is well situated in one of the
best business blocks in the town.
TERMS CASH.
WM. GRAYSON,
Vendor's Advocate.
Dated at Moose Jaw the 8th day of January,
A. D. 1892.

NOTICE.

Parties in search of firewood, game etc.,
had better make sure where they range, as
the undersigned give it as imperative that he
will prosecute all trespassers. Game, wood, pas-
ture and all other privileges being reserved on
his ranch comprising the following properties
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